

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

**CRM-M No. 20575 of 2019
Date of Decision:-06.05.2019**

Rinku Rana

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present:- Mr. Brijender Kaushik, Advocate
for the petitioner.

MANOJ BAJAJ J.(Oral)

Petitioner Rinku Rana has filed the present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.50 dated 08.4.2019, under Section 15 of NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Shahzadpur, Ambala.

As per prosecution case, a secret information was received naming the three persons, who were allegedly carrying poppy husk in a vehicle bearing No.HR-37-D-0485. Believing the same to be true, a check post was created and the said vehicle was intercepted. Thereafter, one of the passengers, who was sitting at the back of the vehicle, ran away from the spot and two persons namely Karambir @ Kala and Ashwani Gupta @ Jony were arrested and the contraband weighing 08 quintals and

20 kilograms poppy husk was recovered from them. As per the statements of the persons apprehended on the spot, it was Rinku Rana @ Jony, who ran away from the spot.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has wrongly been involved in the present case. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that neither the petitioner was arrested on the spot nor any recovery has been effected from him and he was indicted only on the basis of disclosure statements of co-accused Karambir @ Kala and Ashwani Gupta @ Jony, which have no sanctity at all and not admissible in evidence.

Considering the above and in view of seriousness of offence as well as conduct of the petitioner, no ground for grant of extraordinary concession of pre-arrest bail is made out. Resultantly, the petition is hereby dismissed.

May 06, 2019
Vijay Asija

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No